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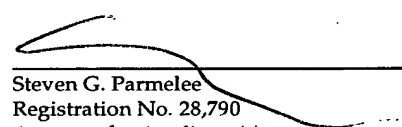
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/reply in the above-identified application.

- ☐ An Appendix including amended drawing figures labeled as "Annotated Marked-up Drawings" is enclosed.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.

Fee Calculation For Claims As Amended

	As Amended	Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Independent Claims	1	4	0	x \$ 200.00 =	\$ 0.00
Total Claims	6	29	0	x \$ 50.00 =	\$ 0.00
Fee for Multiply Dependent Claims				\$ 360.00	\$ 0.00
** At least 3				Total Additional Fee	\$ 0.00
* At least 20					

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Amendment And Response After Final dated May 19, 2005

Reply to Office Action of March 21, 2005

☐ Applicant(s) assert entitlement to Small Entity Status
(37 C.F.R. § 1.27), thus reducing the fee by half to: _____

☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.

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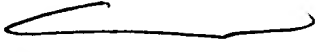
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE AFTER FINAL

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 21, 2005 made final, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.